

## **The Honorable Richard A. Jones**

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE**

CHRISTOPHER KING, J.D. A/K/A  
KINGCAST, JOHN NOVAK, and  
CYNJO RAYLENE HALL,

**Plaintiffs,**

V.

JANE RUSHFORD, past Chair of the Liquor and Cannabis Board; DAVID POSTMAN, Chair of the Liquor and Cannabis Board; RICK GARZA, Director of the Liquor and Cannabis Board; JAY INSLEE, Governor of Washington; and ROBERT FERGUSON, Washington Attorney General

In their Individual and Official Capacities,  
Defendants.

NO. 2:20-CV-01494-RAJ

**ORDER GRANTING STATE  
DEFENDANTS' MOTION TO  
DISMISS**

[PROPOSED]

Upon consideration of the State Defendants' Motion to Dismiss, the various memorandum filed by the parties, applicable law, and the entire record herein, it is hereby

**ORDERED** that the following materials submitted with Plaintiffs' Response are stricken and not considered:

## Appendix A (Dkt #102-1);

## Appendix B (Dkt #102-2);

ORDER GRANTING STATE  
DEFENDANTS' MOTION  
TO DISMISS [PROPOSED]  
(2:20-CV-01494-RAJ)

1 Appendix E (Dkt # 102-5); and

2 Appendix G (Dkt # 102-7);

3 **ORDERED** that the Defendants' Motion to Dismiss is granted and it is further;

4 **ORDERED** that Plaintiffs claims against The Honorable Jay Inslee, Governor of the

5 State of Washington; Robert Ferguson, Washington State Attorney General; Jane Rushford,

6 immediate past Chair of the Liquor and Cannabis Board; David Postman, Chair of the Liquor

7 and Cannabis Board; and Rick Garza, Director of the Liquor and Cannabis Board are hereby

8 **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** for lack of jurisdiction.

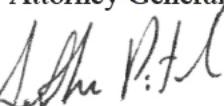
9  
10 **SO ORDERED**

11  
12 Dated this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2021.

13  
14  
15 The Honorable Richard A. Jones  
United States District Judge

16  
17 Presented by:

18 ROBERT W. FERGUSON  
19 Attorney General

20   
21 JONATHAN E. PITEL, WSBA # 47516  
*Assistant Attorney General*  
22 1125 Washington Street SE  
PO Box 40110  
23 Olympia, WA 98504  
Jonathan.Pitel@atg.wa.gov  
24 LalOlyEF@atg.wa.gov  
(360) 586-2780

25  
26 Counsel for State Defendants